



PATENT APPLICATION  
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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	Nye, et al.	)	Group Art Unit 3711
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Appl. No.	:	10/737,034	)	
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Title	:	BASKETBALL SYSTEM	)	
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Examiner	:	Michael S. Chambers	)	
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED DECEMBER 21, 2004

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 21, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2.

**Amendments to the Claims** being on page 4.

**Amendments to the Drawings** being on page 13 and include both an attached replacement sheet for Figure 12 and an annotated or marked-up sheet for Figure 12 that shows the proposed drawing corrections in red ink.

**Remarks** begin on page 14.

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